



Catholic Church of St. Luke

4408 Highway 86 Easley, SC 29642

The Most Holy Trinity, June 11, 2017

Dear Parishioners,

On June 9, 1995, Bishop Thompson verbally informed Fr. Travis that the new mission church of Holy Cross would have St. Luke for a patron. St. Luke has grown, and has much improved facilities from that start 22 years ago. Today, we gather with new air conditioning for the Church -- a much needed replacement. Grateful to St. Luke for his prayerful intercession, I encourage everyone to read the Gospel of St. Luke and the Acts of the Apostles.

At Holy Cross, the Women of St. Helena are preparing for a day of reflection this fall, likely in August. The topic is "Mary at the Cross -- Yesterday and Today". I hope that women from St. Luke will also participate. I am very excited to see how the Women of St. Helena are re-invigorating Holy Cross. The Pentecost pot-luck was a tremendous success. A lot of work went into a meal for 110 -- and they had fun making it look easy!

During the summer, parish offertory often drops. I ask you to make an extra effort to support the church this summer. Our air-conditioning was very expensive, and we have a significant debt remaining for Annunciation Hall. Before giving to the Church, donors frequently ask me what will help the most. Donations to the Annunciation Hall Capital Campaign, or to the Holy Cross Renovation Capital Campaign, are most helpful at this time.

Gratefully,
Fr. Jim Dubrouillet

Readings for Week of June 11

Monday	2 Cor 1:1-7; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday	2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday	2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday	2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 5:20-26
Friday	2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Mt 5:27-32
Saturday	2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 5:33-37
Sunday	Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

In 2020, the Diocese of Charleston will mark its Bicentennial. We have a remarkable history and future full of possibilities to celebrate! In preparation, Bishop Guglielmone is inviting input from people throughout the diocese through a brief survey. It will help to frame an understanding of what is most valued, areas of concern, and the hopes and expectations of our diocesan family as we move forward. The English survey link is: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CharlestonMAP> The Spanish survey link is: <https://es.surveymonkey.com/r/EncuestaCharleston> Please complete by June 25th.



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The facilities of St. Luke are available to all ACTIVE parishioners. This includes the use of the church for Baptism, Weddings and other Sacramental events. Active Membership is determined as follows:

1. Registered in the parish for 6 months.
2. Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
3. Financial support of the church according to your means.

Baptism: Parents must attend a training class prior to having a child baptized. Please call the parish office to schedule the training.

Marriage: Those contemplating marriage should contact the office at least EIGHT months prior to the wedding date to schedule an appointment with the Priest.

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This Week in Our Parish

Sun	6/11	9 AM	Mass (First Communion Mass)
		11:30 AM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Eugene Iozzino
Mon	6/12	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Frank Festa, Sr.
Wed	6/14	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> W. Bliss & †R. Bliss
Thu	6/15	12:15 PM	Mass
Fri	6/16	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> with Anointing of Sick
Sat	6/17	2:30 PM	Confession @ <i>Holy Cross</i>
		4 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i>
		6 PM	Mass Offered for †Santiago Diaz
Sun	6/18	9 AM	Mass
		11:30 AM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Eugene Iozzino

Stewardship Report

June 4 \$2,018

Online Giving \$1,065

Growth & Dev. \$581

Thank you for your generosity and support!

Schedule Change: There will be no weekday Masses at St. Luke and Holy Cross from Monday, June 19th - Friday, July 7th.

First Holy Communion: Congratulations to all of the St. Luke and Holy Cross First Communicants: *Zachary Cain, Elias Castaneda, Ava Chase, Alaina Conrad, Madolyn Fazio, David Gonzalez, Kevin Lopez, John Montano, Brody Pike, Laura Sasser, Hudson Shufelt, James Speedy, Charlie Truett, Lukas Volkmer.* May you always know the peace of Jesus, the light of His love, and the joy of His life within you.

Bishop's Annual Appeal Progress: As of April 30, 2017, the BAA has collected almost \$2.7 million. Our parish has contributed \$10,048 towards our goal of \$14,363. This represents 69.96% of our goal from 30.74% of our registered families. The BAA provides funding for incredible programs and ministries doing critically important work in our diocese. Through charitable, educational, outreach and evangelization efforts, a real difference is being made. Please prayerfully consider a pledge to the Appeal if you have not done so already. Our parish family is called to join our diocesan family in this endeavor. All gifts, are meaningful and appreciated.

The Arimatheans: CWO members & their spouses support this ministry which offers grieving families emotional & physical support and fulfills the Corporal Work of Mercy (to bury the dead) by attending St. Luke funeral Masses. Please call St. Luke's office or Holy Cross office to alert Fr. Jim to your need for support or if you would like to be a part of this ministry.